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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT
AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant(s): Koji KATO et al
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Art Unit : 2615
Examiner : Brian C. Genco

AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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S I R :

This is responsive to the Office Action mailed April 29, 2005, the term for response to which is extended by two months by Petition filed concurrently herewith to expire on September 29, 2005.

Amendments to the Drawings are described on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are set forth in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper. Claims 1-10 and 17-21 are canceled; claims 11, 12 and 15 are amended; and claims 13, 14 and 16 are maintained.

Remarks begin on page 6 of this paper.

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